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Breeder Designation Application

Instructions:

1. Review the description below before filling out this application.
2. Print clearly in ink or type, sign in ink.
3. Include the \$50.00 fee with this form.
4. Return to address above.
5. Retain a copy of this form for your records.

Description of Breeder Designation:

A breeder designation (prefix or suffix) is commonly used by purebred breeders in the animal & livestock industry to indicate a kind of "trademark" or breeder identification. It is approved & registered by registries to record who bred a particular animal. The **breeder** is defined as the **owner or lessee of the mare at time of breeding**. The breeder designation may represent an individual breeder, or the farm or ranch who bred the animal. The purpose of registering a breeder designation is to prevent it being used by more than one breeder, so it cannot be duplicated, so it is a unique identifier. Anyone is welcome to use a "prefix or suffix" in naming his or her horses, unless it duplicates a registered designation. To reserve one and be guaranteed no one else will use it without your permission, you should register a Breeder Designation. There is a one-time fee to register a breeder designation. You can register more than one, if desired.

The ICHO does not have a minimum or maximum length on breeder designations, but it will take up part of the 30-digit name limit. When selecting a breeder designation, it may be in the form of a prefix or a suffix. When naming a horse, you must allow a space between the designation and the rest of the horse's registered name. The designation can not be used somewhere in the middle of the horse's name. Punctuation is not allowed in the breeder designation or the name. Too similar and sound alike designations, or common words (i.e. curly, red) will not be accepted. When your chosen designation is accepted you will receive an official ICHO registered Breeder Designation Certificate. This should not be confused with a breeder's license. The ICHO does not 'license' breeders.

I / We would like to register the following breeder designation with ICHO:

(list choices in order of preference)

Breeder Designation

1) _____

2) _____

for my/our exclusive use in registering foals either sired by a stallion or foaled by a mare owned by me at time of breeding on ICHO/NACHR registration applications.

The Breeder Designation shall be registered in the following name(s) that will be authorized to use it:

(family or partners in breeding operation).

Name

ICHO #

1) _____

2) _____

3) _____

4) _____

Notify us if authorization changes.

In cases of any changes, separations or disputes, name on line 1 has authorization preference or 1st right of refusal.

I hereby certify that all information contained herein is true and correct to my personal knowledge,

Signature X _____ **Date** _____

Name _____ ICHO# _____

Address _____ Phone _____

_____ Email _____